

# H.Res. 782 – Expressing the sense of the House with respect to the Boston Red Sox victory in the 2007 Major League Baseball World Series

### **FLOOR SITUATION**

H.Res. 782 is being considered on the House floor under suspension of the rules and will require a two-thirds majority vote for passage. This legislation was introduced by Representative Michael Capuano (D-MA) on October 30, 2007. The bill was sent to the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform but was never considered.

H.Res. 782 is expected to be considered on the House floor on November 6, 2007.

### **SUMMARY**

H.Res. 782 resolves that the House of Representatives:

- Congratulates the Boston Red Sox for winning the 2007 Major League Baseball World Series;
- > Congratulates the eight Major League Baseball teams that played in the postseason;
- ➤ Commends the Colorado Rockies for a solid year, including an impressive late season surge that brought them to their first World Series; and
- ➤ Commends the fans and management of the Colorado Rockies for their hospitality towards all the Red Sox fans who traveled to Denver for the World Series.

# **BACKGROUND**

On October 29, 2007, the Boston Red Sox won their second World Series title in four seasons by sweeping the Colorado Rockies.

This was the seventh world title in the 107-year history of the Red Sox franchise.

Prior to the World Series, the Red Sox came back from a three game deficit to beat the Cleveland Indians in the American League Championship Game.

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